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Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.56 and 1.97(b), Applicants brings to the attention of the Examiner the documents listed on the attached PTO-1449. This Information Disclosure Statement is being filed concurrently with the Request for Continued Examination (RCE) Application. Therefore, no fee is required for filing this Information Disclosure Statement. In accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.98(d).

Each item of information contained in this Information Disclosure Statement was cited in an International Search Report (copy enclosed), in a counterpart foreign application.

Japanese Patent Document No. 9-507584 corresponds to PCT Publication No. WO 94/20871. Japanese Patent Document Nos. 9-507584, 9-105804, and 2002-197908 may be pertinent for the reasons discussed at page 3 of the Specification. A concise explanation of relevance for each of the other non-English language documents listed may be ascertained from the English-language translation of their Abstracts and figures therein. Copies of the documents are attached.

Applicants respectfully request that the Examiner consider the listed documents and evidence that consideration by making appropriate notations on the attached form.

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